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Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR §1.97 through §1.99 and pursuant to applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, applicant respectfully brings the following documents, listed on the attached form PTO-1449, to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application. A copy of the non-US patent references cited is enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

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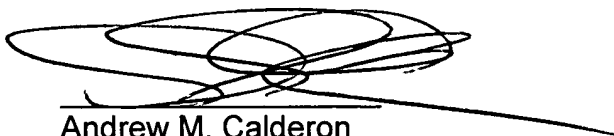
It is respectfully requested that the listed references be considered by the Examiner and formally made of record in this application.

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If necessary, applicants hereby authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees necessary to ensure consideration of the documents cited herein to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Respectfully submitted,  
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## REFERENCE DESIGNATION

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## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	JP-A-5-167273	July 2, 1993	JAPAN			X	
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## OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

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